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House Committee Approves \$975 Million For McKinney Homeless Assistance in FY 1999

June 29, 1998

The House Appropriations Committee passed an FY 1999 appropriations bill that would increase the appropriations level for homeless assistance grants and underscores the importance of focusing resources on providing permanent supportive housing for chronically homeless people. The Senate Appropriations Committee recently passed its FY 1999 budget which increased homeless assistance funding, setting aside 30% for permanent homeless housing.

Below is a comparison of key House and Senate spending provisions.

- The House Bill increases homeless assistance funding from \$823 million to \$975 million. *The Senate appropriation level was \$1 billion.*
- The House fell short of establishing a set-aside for permanent homeless housing, however, supported Congressman Luzzo's efforts in H.R. 217 to require that 30% of funds be directed to permanent, supportive housing. *The Senate Bill set-aside 30% of funds for permanent homeless housing.*
- Grantee are not required to match funding for services in the House Bill. *The Senate establishes a 25% match requirement.*

The House Appropriations Committee directed HUD to target permanent homeless housing to individuals and families with chronic disabilities like substance or alcohol abuse and mental illness to make McKinney programs more outcome oriented and eliminate homelessness among this most vulnerable population. Noting that the percentage of total McKinney funding devoted to permanent housing has plummeted from 70% in FY 1993 to less than 18% in the current fiscal year, the Committee emphasized that federal homeless funding should be adjusted to focus an appropriate portion of resources, long term, on providing permanent homeless housing for chronically homeless people. For further information, please contact Susie Sinclair-Smith at (202) 785-2908

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